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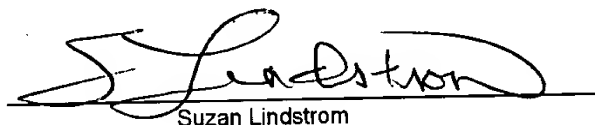
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

This is in response to the Restriction Requirement mailed October 4, 2000. This response is timely filed on Monday, November 6, 2000 following the deadline of November 4, 2000 (a Saturday).

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The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees, including extension fees or other relief which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No.06-1300 (Our Order No. A-55320-2/DJB/TAL/DCF).

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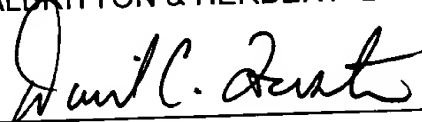
In response to the Restriction Requirement, Applicants elect for further prosecution the claims of Group I, namely Claims 1-11. This election is made without traverse.

In response to the Species Election, Applicants hereby elect Species G, namely a selective moiety that binds to anti- α gal antibodies. Claims 1, 2, 4 and 6-8 are readable on the elected species.

It is believed that the above fully complies with the requirements set forth in the Communication mailed on October 4, 2000. The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at (415) 781-1989 if any issues may be resolved in that manner.

Respectfully submitted,

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